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SUBJECT: PRODUCT OPPORTUNITY: DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM FOR IETEL

1. IN THE COURSE OF A CALL ON ING. CARLOS CASTRO C., NEWLY-
APPOINTED GENERAL MANAGER OF IETEL (ECUADOREAN TELECOMMUNI-
CATIONS INSTITUTE), EMBOFFS LEARNED OF IETEL PLANS TO ENTER
FIELD OF DATA COMMUNICATIONS.

2. ALTHOUGH THE FULL EXTENT OF THE PLANS WERE NOT CLEAR
(ING. CASTRO IS STILL IN THE PROCESS OF FAMILIARIZING
HIMSELF WITH THE OPERATIONS OF IETEL), ONE FACET WOULD BE
INTERCONNECTION BY MEANS OF A DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM OF
IETEL WITH COMMERCIAL BANKS. THIS WOULD PERMIT, AMONG
OTHER THINGS, THE PAYMENT OF TELEPHONE BILLS AT BANK
BRANCHES.

3. ACCORDING TO ING. CASTRO, ONE NON-U.S. FIRM HAS
ALREADY MADE A PROPOSAL TO IETEL ON A DATA COMMUNICATIONS
SYSTEM, BUT HE WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE SIMILAR PROPOSALS
FROM COMPETENT U.S. FIRMS.

4. ING. CASTRO STATED THAT HE EXPECTED REGULATIONS
GOVERNING DATA COMMUNICATIONS ACTIVITY IN THE COUNTRY
TO BE ISSUED SOON BY THE GOE.

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5. INTERESTED U.S. FIRMS SHOULD CONTACT:
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